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Method and Apparatus for Using Atrial Discrimination Algorithms to Determine

Optimal Pacing Therapy and Therapy Timing

## **AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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## **Introductory Comments**

Applicant has reviewed the final Office Action dated January 7, 2003. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: